

GAE Comittee,

To the members of the GAE Committee,

I am writing to you to express my strong support for passage of both S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262.

Voters should be able to vote this year by absentee ballot as COVID19 persists. Please continue the COVID19 safety measures of 2020 and 2021 for 2022 so that, everyone who fears exposure to COVID19 can safely vote by absentee ballot.

More than 650,000 Connecticut voters voted by absentee ballot in the 2020 CT General Election including me —which means we voted early based upon our own schedules. This led to record breaking 80% voter turnout. Please listen to the voters, the choice is clear. Please protect the freedom to vote safely and pass S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262.

Thank you for your attention.

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